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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Tomoya TANABE et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2624

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Examiner: YEH, Eueng Nan

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR IMAGE PROCESSING

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 14, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on February 14, 2008. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to April 14, 2008.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.